

ANTHRACITE MINERS GRANTED TWENTY PERCENT INCREASE

SENATE COMMITTEE OPENS HEARING

PARTY CHAIEMEN
ADD NOTHING TO
CHARGES OF COX

Democratic Congressman Admits Government Printing Office Supplied Campaign Propaganda

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
CHICAGO, Aug. 30.—An extended examination today of Will H. Hays, Republican national chairman, and Homer S. Cummings, until recently Democratic national chairman, by the senate committee investigating campaign expenditures failed to throw any light on the \$15,000,000 fund which Governor Cox charged the Republican party was seeking in an attempt to corrupt the American electorate and buy the presidency.

The committee also heard Representative M. D. Flood of Virginia, chairman of the Democratic congressional campaign committee and former Representative J. L. Blackburn of Kentucky, treasurer of the committee. The outstanding points in the maze of figures through which the committee struggled were:

Testimony by Mr. Hays that the Republican national committee's budget for the presidential campaign called for expenditure of \$10,000,000 to be distributed to the various state committees for the increased cost of printing, clerical hire, rents, transportation and all the necessities of a national campaign, a national committee should be able to stage a fair, decent and stiff campaign with reasonable publicity, for \$3,000,000.

With that amount of money, he said, the national chairman need not worry over finances.

Hays Says Quota \$4,000,000
Mr. Hays also testified the Republican national committee was seeking to raise approximately \$1,000,000 to be donated to the various state committees for their local campaigns, making a total of slightly more than \$4,000,000 in the Republican campaign chest for all purposes.

Mr. Cummings declared he believed this amount was excessive and pointed to the fact that the campaign was being run in his home state of Connecticut, the Republicans spent \$250,000 in that year. He considered this was too much for a commonwealth of that size. "If you let the state committee run wild," he said, "you get an accumulated expenditure which in itself is an outstanding evidence of corrupt purposes. I suggest that this is just what is going to happen with the Republicans this year."

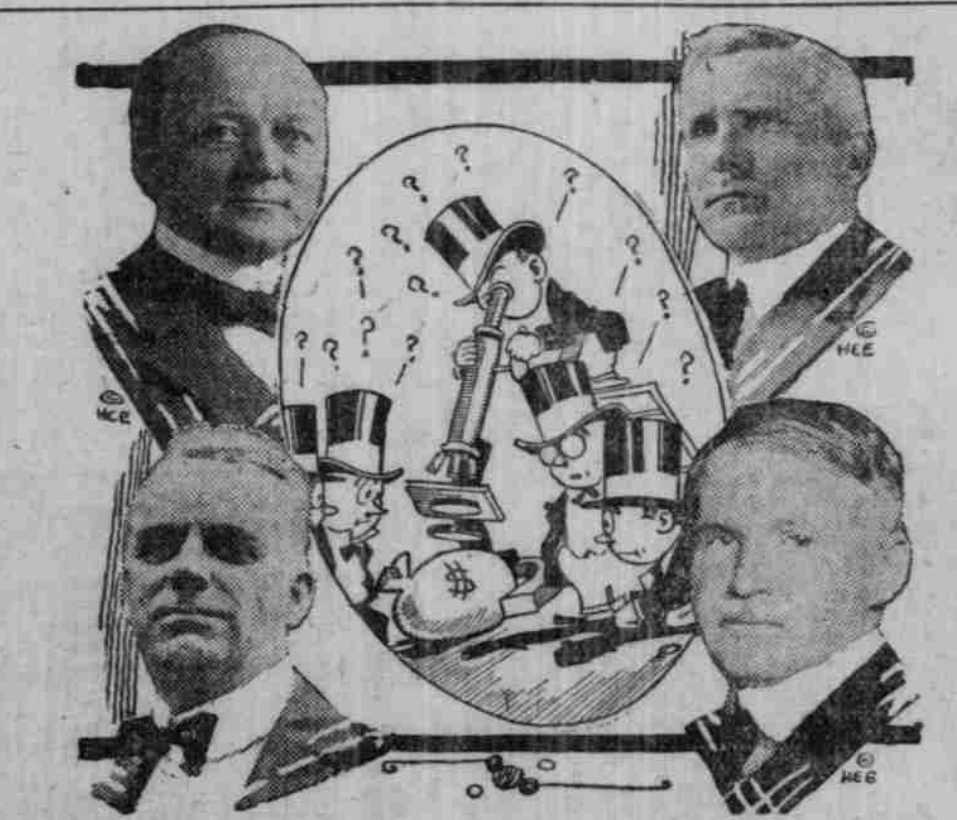
"Has either party any monopoly in this practice?" asked Senator Edge.

"There is no monopoly upon the system," rejoined Mr. Cummings, "but there is a monopoly upon the Republican success in that direction."

Both Mr. Hays and Mr. Cummings refused to discuss details of their committee financing, asserting that as chairman they had only a general knowledge of such subjects and that the books and records of the committee treasurers would have to be relied upon in that connection.

Limit Gifts to \$1,000
Neither chairman knew of any large individual contributions and Mr. Hays was rather positive that the Republican plan to limit individual gifts to \$1,000 was being carried out successfully. He knew of 28 exceptions to the rule, the largest being for \$3,000, two for \$5,000 each and the other 35 for lesser amounts.

Mr. Cummings explained that the organization of which he was chairman was poverty stricken when he assumed that office and that he left his successor \$561 in cash and a net indebtedness of slightly more than \$100,000. A charge by Mr. Hays that as early as July, 1919, the Democratic committee had installed an elaborate fund gathering organization in the Bond building, Washington, was explained by Mr. Cummings as a bureau for both propaganda and finance. He said that it "grew from a hope, but was reduced in size when it was found that the overhead charges for maintaining the

SENATE PROBES OF
SLUSH FUND CHARGES

Members of the senate committee investigating funds raised for the presidential campaign and slush fund charges:

Senator Alton Pomeroy, Ohio (upper left); Senator J. A. Reed, Missouri (upper right); Senator William S. Kenyon, Iowa, chairman (lower left); Senator Selden Palmer Spencer, Missouri (lower right).

G. O. P. GOVERNORS MEET TODAY

COX DENIES HAYS' ACCUSATION

With Harding

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
MARION, Aug. 30.—Senator Harding's reclamation policy, to be enunciated tomorrow in an address here to a group of Republican governors, was discussed in detail by the nominee today with Gifford Pinchot, former chief of the federal forestry service, and a leader of the Progressive party in the 1912 campaign.

Afterward, Mr. Pinchot issued a statement saying he was much pleased with the senator's views on conservation and related subjects and was ready to let bygones be bygones and do all he could for Republican success.

Nine governors, most of them from western states, have promised to be in the delegation tomorrow in addition to a number of former governors and gubernatorial nominees. Frank O. Lowden of Illinois, is among those expected to be present. The other states whose chief executives are to attend are South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming, Arizona, Pennsylvania, California and Rhode Island.

Several of the group arrived today and spent the evening at the Harding home. After the front porch speech tomorrow, the party will be guests of the Marine department of the G. A. R. at a picnic here.

Mr. Pinchot said his conference with the nominee had impressed him with the necessity for the election of a Republican president if the nation's resources were to be kept out of the hands of "southern reactionaries."

"Senator Harding and I have been on opposite sides of many questions," Mr. Pinchot's statement continued, "but in order to get together, there was much for each of us to overlook."

What Senator Harding has said about forestry, the shortage of lumber and paper is admirable. What he has told me of his views on conservation is equally admirable. I am greatly pleased with both."

A message from Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, congratulating Senator Harding on his league of nations speech was made public today. "Congratulations. Absolutely with you. Your address, the logical development of the national convention declaration and the speech of acceptance," it said.

She is the wife of W. E. Overdeer and besides him is survived by the little girl.

All efforts by physicians to save her life were in vain. She never regained consciousness.

OHIO HAS COAL SHORTAGE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Formation of a joint committee representing Cleveland and Akron, Ohio, the national coal association and the railroads, to meet in Cleveland Thursday to work out a plan for obtaining coal for the two cities was agreed upon today at the hearing before the interstate commerce commission on the question of modification of the northwestern emergency coal order.

Representatives of the Ohio cities asked the commission to allow part of the coal being shipped to lake ports for transshipment, to the northwestern states and Canada, to be diverted for the use of their districts.

Following Cox

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 30.—Answering testimony of Will H. Hays, chairman of the Republican national committee, before the senate subcommittee investigating campaign expenditures in Chicago today, Governor Cox declared tonight that "the wets have not contributed a dollar to my campaign and they will not."

The governor's statement was made after reading newspaper accounts of the hearing in Chicago, before which Chairman Hays read a letter purporting to be from G. T. Carroll, president of the New Jersey federation of liquor interests, asking for contributions to help elect Cox.

"It is very well understood in this state in particular," Governor Cox said, "that the wets have not been active in politics for some time. Official reports to the secretary of state show that in the last year or two the wets apparently have not been able to make large campaign contributions for wet referendum."

The governor declared any claim to the effect that the wets are contributing to his campaign to be "absurd on its face," adding that he only made reply because "silence might be misconstrued."

The governor returned today from his eastern tour. He will speak at the Ohio state fair tomorrow afternoon on agriculture. He also stated that he intended to make a "close editorial observer" statement on "the last plan," meaning the plan for a world court of justice recently outlined by Senator Harding. The governor said he had been informed by a "close editorial observer" that the league of nations has "governor party lines."

Governor Cox said he was surprised to see the general interest in politics displayed so early in New York as "the king of the states and medals."

The governor said he had no complaint to make on the attitude of organized labor toward his candidacy as expressed by President Campers and other labor officials.

Gov. Campbell

Confers With

G. O. P. Leaders

(Special to The Republican)

MARION, Ohio, Aug. 30.—Governor Campbell, secretary of the Arizona Resources Board, arrived at Marion today and with Governor Stephens of California and former Governor Spry of Utah, accompanied Senator Harding on an automobile ride to Mansfield, Ohio.

This evening the four were guests of Senator and Mrs. Harding at dinner at their home and following the dinner Governor Campbell presented the question of reclamation fully to the senator who showed himself sympathetic with the aspirations of the west.

Tomorrow at 11 o'clock Senator Harding will address governors and candidates for governor from several states and his remarks will devote special attention to the question of reclamation.

ROMANIAN CABINET RESIGNS

PARIS, Aug. 30.—The resignation of the Romanian cabinet headed by Premier Averesco, is announced in Berlin dispatches.

ROCK ISLAND SEEKS MORTGAGE

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad today applied to the interstate commerce commission for authority to issue a \$1,000,000 mortgage gold bonds to the amount of \$1,000,000 and refunding mortgage gold bonds for \$1,000,000.

RAILROADS WILL
OPERATE ON OWN
EARNINGS AGAIN

Operating Guarantee for Six Month Period Cost Government One Hundred Million Dollars

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—Railroads of the country will begin operation on their own resources tomorrow night after having cost the government approximately \$100,000,000 monthly for the six months in which their earnings were guaranteed by the transportation act. The carriers will be allowed further aid from the government only through loans from revolving funds.

Earnings of the roads will fall about \$500,000,000 below their standard return for the period since March 1, according to estimates today by the bureau of railway economics. Fewer than half a score of lines have produced revenue sufficient to equal actual operating expenses, which does not include the fixed charges of interest, taxes and dividends. Definite figures on the cost to the government of the transportation act will not be known for several months.

Most of the roads have indicated already that they will have money coming to them as a result of the guarantee. The treasury has received dozens of certifications for advances under the guarantee within the last ten days and more are expected tomorrow. Secretary Houston said, "If the roads do not ask for an advance against probable deficits before tomorrow night they must wait for a final compilation of the sums the government owes them."

Of the 1,194 lines of consequence in this country, 661 have accepted the government's proposal for a division of the surplus above the standard return and a guarantee of earnings should the revenues fall short. All of these roads are expected to return to a final adjustment of accounts by the treasury and payment where the revenues were below the guaranteed amount.

In the first four months of the guarantee period, March, April, May and June, railroad revenues topped actual operating expenses for the first time. The March revenues represented a net return of \$12,700,000, while there were deficits of \$23,700,000 in April, \$11,800,000 in May and \$7,700,000 in June.

Julius Beltrami, director of the bureau of railway economics, estimated a deficit for July and August, basing his calculations on the results of the same months of the previous year. He estimated that the roads would produce revenues of only \$2,000,000 and \$1,500,000 respectively for July and August above the standard return of \$75,000,000 a month. Additional expenses not yet accounted for, Mr. Beltrami said, probably would cut down the revenues for the two months.

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U. S. ATHLETES WIN

FORTY AWARDS FOR

ATHLETIC PROGRESS

(Special to The Republican)

ANTWERP, Aug. 30.—King Albert of Belgium, presented the medals and other awards won at the seventh Olympic games to the winners in the athletic events at the stadium this afternoon.

It would have been necessary to use a large basket for the Americans' share alone of the statistics and medals. For example, out of about 100 awards for athletics, the share of the United States' representatives was nearly 40.

A few scores of guests at the banquet and the Salt River valley people would render all assistance possible in working up preliminary details and getting data together.

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OKLAHOMA CITY IN

FEAR OF RACE RIOT

(Republican A. P. Leased Wire)

OKLAHOMA CITY, Aug. 30.—Directions that all national guard units in Oklahoma City be held in readiness for duty in connection with possible race trouble growing out of the lynching of Claude Chandler, a negro, here last night, were issued today by Adjutant General C. F. Barrett.

General Barrett's order followed a day of rumors concerning threatened clashes between whites and negroes as a result of the lynching. Chandler was arrested Saturday following a raid upon an alleged moonshine still near Arcadia, Okla., in which Stanton Weiss, federal prohibition officer, Homer Adair, deputy sheriff and Charles Chandler, father of Claude Chandler, were killed.

NO QUORUM IN TENNESSEE

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 30.—The Tennessee house of representatives, though reinforced by the presence of the 38 filibustering members who have been in Alabama for more than a week, failed by two votes to have a quorum of 66 this afternoon when it reconvened. Adjournment was finally taken until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

Strike Ties-up
Brooklyn Rapid
Transit System

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—With the strike bound Brooklyn Rapid Transit system able to operate only 61 two-car elevated and subway trains and no surface cars, throngs of Brooklynites went home tonight on motor trucks, furniture vans, buses and other vehicles. Other thousands walked across the East river bridge.

Those who were lucky rode in the Interborough subway, which has one line to Brooklyn.

Nearly a thousand emergency municipal buses carried passengers over established routes for five cents.

City officials announced they were on the trail of bus profiteers who are charging exorbitant prices.

No attempt will be made to run surface cars in Brooklyn tonight, B. R. T. officials said tonight.

The public service commission has a hearing late today in an effort to bring about a settlement but did not complete its inquiry. It announced that the chief disagreement is over arbitration.

BOLSHEVIKI MAKE
FURTHER ADVANCE
IN POLISH SECTOR

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]

WARSAW, Aug. 30.—An official communication issued tonight said that the Polish front, has made further progress. The Budenny forces are moving slowly in the direction of Zamosc, northwest of Lemberg, despite Polish resistance.

The fighting in Galicia has taken a favorable turn for the Poles, according to the statement, the Poles occupying a series of places.

"On the northeastern front," the communication continues, "the Polish vanguards on the line of Grajewo, Osowetz, Bialystok and Brest-Litovsk, have occupied Sokolka, Logiska, Orzeszowice, Czachy, Podgorze, and Werschowice. Along the Bug, the local fighting has been favorable to the Poles and has regained Horodko and Matocze."

Bolshevik officers taken prisoner by the Poles say that the Polish army will not meet serious resistance until it reaches the line running through the railroad points of Vilna, Lida, Baranovichy and Luninets.

Wireless messages have been sent broadcast to scattered units of the bolshevik army remaining on Polish territory, asking them to try and rally at Minsk, according to a wireless message intercepted by the Polish general staff.

It is urged that this reorganization be rushed at all possible speed. This intercepted message also noted the coming of bolshevik divisions commanded because they had received unarmed soldiers as reinforcements.

The message indicated that the remnants of the bolshevik troops in Poland would be divided into two parts. Northern headquarters would be established at Minsk and southern headquarters at Rovno. Leon Trotsky is reported to be taking personal supreme command of both armies.

WINSLOW COMMERCE

CHAPTER IS BOOSTING

RECLAMATION PLAN

(Special to The Republican)

FLAGSTAFF, Aug. 30.—The proposed 100,000-acre irrigation project for the Little Colorado river valley about Winslow was given a big boost Saturday night at a banquet held at the Winslow chamber of commerce at the Elks club rooms. Congressman Carl Hayden, the principal speaker of the evening, declared as a result of his 16-day stay in the Winslow vicinity that the more he sees of the proposed project the more he thinks it is feasible.

State Land Commissioner W. A. Meador said that the state land department and the Salt River valley people would render all assistance possible in working up preliminary details and getting data together.

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MINERS MAY NOT ACCEPT

COAL COMMISSION AWARD

APPROVED BY PRESIDENT

WASHINGTON, Aug. 30.—President Wilson today approved the majority report of the anthracite coal commission, awarding anthracite miners wage increases aggregating \$85,000,000 and notified the miners that he expected them "to accept the award and carry it into effect in good faith."

Replying to threats from the miners that they would stop work September 1, unless the minority report of the commission, recommending a higher award than provided in the majority report, were accepted, the president stated definitely that the majority award would not be set aside.

MEN WILL DRAFT
NEW DEMAND FOR
WAGE INCREASES

[Republican A. P. Leased Wire]
HAZELTON, Pa., Aug. 30.—New wage demands on the operators of the anthracite coal fields will be drafted here Wednesday. The call for the full scale committee of the tri-district of the United Mine Workers was issued by Thomas Kennedy, president of District No. 7.

Announcement today of the approval by President Wilson of the majority report of the commission aroused a storm of protest. The early reports did not carry the information that President Wilson had held the back pay should be paid in a lump sum. This stand, combined with the announcement tonight that the union officials were to press for new wage advances, alarmed to a great extent the miners. Union officials are to urge the men to accept the award and to leave the matter of obtaining added income to the officers.

Predictions were made by local leaders that they could hold the men in line with this program.

Thomas Kennedy, president of the United Mine Workers, Hazelton district, today commenting on the approval of the majority report of the wage commission by President Wilson said:

"It is very much less than we expected and does not do justice to the anthracite workers."

The men throughout the region continued at work today, but a message has been sent to the president by the delegates in session at Wilkes Barre urging acceptance of Perry's minority report. Unless a favorable reply is received the signers of the message say 175,000 workers will quit on September 1.

Representatives of the department of justice have warned the leaders that a strike would be a violation of the Lever act. They replied they would quit work and call it a "vacation."

ST. LOUIS MOB
THREATENS LYNCHING

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 30.—Two of the three men held in connection with the slaying early today of two police officers of Clayton, ten miles west of here, were removed from the jail at Clayton tonight when a mob of approximately 5,000 persons gathered in the court house square and a warning reached Sheriff Bopp in St. Louis county that an attempt was to be made to storm the jail and lynch the prisoners.

BELFAST DISTRICT ABLAZE

BELFAST, Aug. 30.—The Shankhill district of Belfast late tonight was a blazing inferno. Nearly a score of fires had been started and virtually all the grocery stores and public houses owned by Catholics in the district were being destroyed.

IRISH JUDGE ASSASSINATED

LONDONDERRY, Aug. 30.—Major Johnstone, justice of the peace was assassinated at his home today by men who fired through a window. The assassins escaped.

SPEEDERS GO TO JAIL

SIOUX CITY, Ia., Aug. 30.—Judge Sam Page today sentenced James Wilson and A. C. Anderson to three days each in the county jail for speeding.

FIRE BRAND ACTIVE IN CORK

CORK, Aug. 30.—A party of armed men yesterday burned the magnificent country residence of Joseph Pike, deputy lieutenant of Cork county, near here. The family was absent at the time.

WOULD MAKE HONDURAS DRY

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 30.—Plans for making Honduras "dry" are being made by General Lopez Gutierrez, president of the republic, according to an announcement received by Dr. Eusebio Toledo, Honduran consul general here.

8,590 REGISTER IN GILA

GLOBE, Ariz., Aug. 30.—Final returns of registration of the electorate of Gila county as received at the county recorder's office here today and counted with the exception of probably 15 or 20 from an outlying district show that 8,590 have registered.

RAIL TELEGRAPHER SHOT

DOUGLAS, Ariz., Aug. 30.—C. E. Tanner, former railroad telegraph operator at Rodeo, New Mexico, was in a local hospital tonight with a bullet hole in his right lung as the result of a shooting affair at Rodeo yesterday. His condition is serious. The El Paso and Southwestern station agent at Rodeo, whose name was given as H. E. Moore, was under arrest in connection with the shooting.

CORK MAYOR SPEECHLESS

LONDON, Aug. 30.—At midnight Mr. Mackswiney was still alive. He was conscious but unable to speak.

SOVIET RIOT IN ITALY

FLORENCE, Italy, Aug. 30.—During a meeting today in favor of recognition of the Russian soviet government, a police commissioner was shot and killed. Policemen returned the fire, killing two persons and wounding seven others. A 24-hour protest strike has been ordered.

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